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1. The Polish destroyer BUREA, which is being entirely reconstructed, has been fitted with engines and has been in Leningrad since the middle of August where she is being fitted with guns.¹ 25X1
2. The naval dockyard in Okaywie is building minelayers for the Polish Navy. Production is not yet fully under way because the shipyard is not yet completed, and no minelayers built there are yet in service. Three such vessels are lying outside the yard awaiting armaments.
3. When production is in full progress the estimated output will be two trawlers or minelayers per month. 25X1
4. The shipyard at Szczecin (Stettin) is building coal and iron ore vessels for the USSR. In general appearance, these vessels are similar to the Polish S.S. SZUMECIN which was taken over by the Russians two years ago together with the S.S. GDYNIA. The tonnage of these ships is about 3,500 net.
5. Trawlers built in Poland, bearing the Russian letters BOX and BX, are to be found in the Soviet zone of the harbor. These trawlers are believed to be from Gdansk (Danzig).
6. The number of ships in the Soviet zone of Szczecin harbor has dropped heavily since the second half of September.

Comment. The BUREA was sighted in Gdynia on 24 September 1954.

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